ARTES MEDICAL INC Form DEFA14A November 13, 2008

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): November 13, 2008

Artes Medical, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 001-33205 33-0870808

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

5870 Pacific Center Boulevard San Diego, California 92121

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, with Zip Code)

(858) 550-9999

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

n/a

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On November 13, 2008, Artes Medical, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing that the Company convened its annual stockholders meeting. At the meeting, stockholders elected Christopher J. Reinhard and John R. Costantino to the board of directors for three year terms, expiring at the 2011 Annual Meeting. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1, and is incorporated herein by reference.

 $Item\ 9.01.\ Financial\ Statements\ and\ Exhibits.$

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release, dated November 13, 2008.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: November 13, 2008

Artes Medical, Inc.

By: /s/ Karla R. Kelly Karla R. Kelly

Chief Legal Officer, General Counsel

and

Corporate Secretary

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